

# Agape Montessori School

## February Newsletter

### Assessments & Conferences

Teachers will be conducting assessments on all students ages 1 year and above. You will be provided a copy of the assessment. For students in the Children's House, we will have face to face conferences on Thursday & Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>. A Signup Genius has been sent out so you can reserve your spot.

### In-Service Day

In order to prepare for conferences, there will be an in-service day for all teachers on Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>. THE SCHOOL WILL BE OPEN. CHILDCARE WILL BE PROVIDED; THERE WILL BE NO FORMAL SCHOOL ON THIS DAY.

### Valentine's Party

A Valentine's party for all classes will be held on Thursday, February 14<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 – 4:00 pm. All children are invited to the party even if your child does not normally attend on this day. Parent volunteers are welcome. Please send enough Valentine's cards for each person in your child's class. Please do not address classmate names on the cards but have your child sign each card. Your child is also invited to bring a bag of treats to share. Please remember...NUT FREE.

Cottonwood (Twos) – 5

Meadowlarks – 14

Honeybees – 24

### Class Picture Day

Class pictures will be taken on Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>. Please make sure your child is here on time and is appropriately dressed for this special picture. If your child does not normally attend on this day, you are welcome to bring him/her at 9:00 a.m. to be in the picture.

### Montessori Third-Year Roundup

We will be hosting a meeting at the Mur-Len school on Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30p.m. to provide you information concerning our third-year Montessori program. This takes the place of the kindergarten year and allows a child to complete our Children's House program. So, whether your child is eligible for kindergarten this next school year or you just want information so you can make an informed choice in the future, bring your child and come find out why that third year is so important!

### Inclement Weather

We make every effort to be open on snow days no matter what the school districts decide. However, we must shut down if the Governor of Kansas declares a state of emergency, the city of Olathe instructs us to close, or we cannot get enough staff into the schools. If Agape is going to close for inclement weather, we will post the closing on our website, Facebook page, and send out an email. The website is

[www.agape-montessori.com](http://www.agape-montessori.com)

Scholastic Book Orders are due by Feb.18<sup>th</sup>. Order Code is: GXDDD

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks, Mr. Shea